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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Naoki KOGA, et al.

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For: NETWORK CONNECTION APPARATUS

Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire March 29, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: